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Title : Method and System for Relocating Hidden Objects in
Images

REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Allowance dated May 4, 2005 indicating that claims 5-12 are allowed. However, pursuant to the Examiner's comments in the "Allowable Subject Matter" section attached to the Notice of Allowability, the allowed claims should be claims 8-12, as claims 1-7 were canceled. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner issue a supplemental Notice of Allowability listing the correct allowed claims.

If there are any questions regarding this request or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

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